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| 8  | BEFORE THE  |
| 9  | BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING<br>DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS                                     |
| 10 | STATE OF CALIFORNIA   |
| 11 | In the Matter of the Accusation Against:  Case No. 2011-553                                       |
| 12 | ANTHONY SUAN BAYSA, RN 1813 Sheep Ranch Loop  |
| 13 | Chula Vista, CA 91913  ACCUSATION   |
| 14 | Registered Nurse License No. 574651   |
| 15 | Respondent.   |
| 16 |   |
| 17 | Complainant alleges:  |
| 18 | <u>PARTIES</u>  |
| 19 | 1. Louise R. Bailey, M.Ed., RN (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in her                 |
| 20 | official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Registered Nursing, Department of      |
| 21 | Consumer Affairs.   |
| 22 | 2. On or about December 1, 2000, the Board of Registered Nursing issued Registered                |
| 23 | Nurse License Number 574651 to Anthony Suan Baysa, RN (Respondent). The Registered Nurse          |
| 24 | License was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will |
| 25 | expire on July 31, 2012, unless renewed.  |
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|    | Accusation  |

## **JURISDICTION**

- 3. This Accusation is brought before the Board of Registered Nursing (Board), Department of Consumer Affairs, under the authority of the following laws. All section references are to the Business and Professions Code unless otherwise indicated.
- 4. Section 2750 of the Business and Professions Code ("Code") provides, in pertinent part, that the Board may discipline any licensee, including a licensee holding a temporary or an inactive license, for any reason provided in Article 3 (commencing with section 2750) of the Nursing Practice Act.
  - 5. Section 2761 of the Code states:

The board may take disciplinary action against a certified or licensed nurse or deny an application for a certificate or license for any of the following:

- (a) Unprofessional conduct, which includes but is not limited to, the following:
- (1) Incompetence, or gross negligence in carrying out usual certified or licensed nursing functions....
- 6. Section 2764 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the expiration of a license shall not deprive the Board of jurisdiction to proceed with a disciplinary proceeding against the licensee or to render a decision imposing discipline on the license.

## STATUTORY AND REGULATORY PROVISIONS

### 7. Section 2762 of the Code states:

In addition to other acts constituting unprofessional conduct within the meaning of this chapter [the Nursing Practice Act], it is unprofessional conduct for a person licensed under this chapter to do any of the following:

- (a) Obtain or possess in violation of law, or prescribe, or except as directed by a licensed physician and surgeon, dentist, or podiatrist administer to himself or herself, or furnish or administer to another, any controlled substance as defined in Division 10 (commencing with Section 11000) of the Health and Safety Code or any dangerous drug or dangerous device as defined in Section 4022.
- (b) Use any controlled substance as defined in Division 10 (commencing with Section 11000) of the Health and Safety Code, or any dangerous drug or dangerous device as defined in Section 4022, or alcoholic beverages, to an extent or in-a-manner-dangerous-or-injurious-to-himself-or-herself, any other person, or the public or to the extent that such use impairs his or her ability to conduct with safety to the public the practice authorized by his or her license....

- 8. Health and Safety Code section 11170 states that no person shall prescribe, administer, or furnish a controlled substance for himself.
  - 9. Health and Safety Code section 11173, subdivision (a) states:

No person shall obtain or attempt to obtain controlled substances, or procure or attempt to procure the administration of or prescription for controlled substances (1) by fraud, deceit, misrepresentation, or subterfuge; or (2) by the concealment of a material fact.

10. Health and Safety Code section 11350, subdivision (a)(1) states:

Except as otherwise provided in this division, every person who possesses (1) any controlled substance specified in subdivision (b) or (c), or paragraph (1) of subdivision (f) of Section 11054, specified in paragraph (14), (15), or (20) of subdivision (d) of Section 11054, or specified in subdivision (b) or (c) of Section 11055, or specified in subdivision (h) of Section 11056, or (2) any controlled substance classified in Schedule III, IV, or V which is a narcotic drug, unless upon the written prescription of a physician, dentist, podiatrist, or veterinarian licensed to practice in this state, shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison.

11. California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 1442, states:

"As used in Section 2761 of the code, 'gross negligence' includes an extreme departure from the standard of care which, under similar circumstances, would have ordinarily been exercised by a competent registered nurse. Such an extreme departure means the repeated failure to provide nursing care as required or failure to provide care or to exercise ordinary precaution in a single situation which the nurse knew, or should have known, could have jeopardized the client's health or life."

### **COST RECOVERY**

12. Section 125.3 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Board may request the administrative law judge to direct a licentiate found to have committed a violation or violations of the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of the case.

### **DRUGS**

13. <u>Dilaudid</u>, a brand name for hydromorphone, is a Schedule II controlled substance pursuant to Health and Safety Code section 11055(b)(1)(k) and is a dangerous drug pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 4022.

- 14. <u>Fentanyl Injection</u> is a Schedule II controlled substance pursuant to Health and Safety Code section 11055(c)(8) and is a dangerous drug pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 4022.
- 15. Hydrocodone bitartate/acetaminophen, also known by the brand names **Vicodin**, **Norco**, Zydone, Maxidone, Lortab, Lorcet, Hydrocet, Co-Gesic, and Anexsia, is a narcotic Schedule III controlled substance as designated by Health and Safety Code section 11056(e)(4), and is a dangerous drug pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 4022. Hydrocodone is used as a narcotic analgesic in the relief of pain
- 16. Morphine/morphine sulfate is a Schedule II controlled substance pursuant to Health and Safety Code section 11055(b)(1)(M) and is a dangerous drug pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 4022. Morphine is in a class of drugs called morphine analgesics. It relieves pain.
- 17. Norco, a brand name for hydrocodone, is a Schedule II controlled substance pursuant to Health and Safety Code section 11055(b)(1)(j) and is a dangerous drug pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 4022. It is used for the relief of moderate to moderately severe pain.
- 18. Percocet, a brand name for oxycodone with acetominophen, is a Schedule II controlled substance pursuant to Health and Safety Code section 11055(b)(1)(n) and is a dangerous drug pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 4022. It is used to treat pain.

### **FACTS**

- 19. Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center (hereinafter "SCVMC") conducts routine Standard of Deviation audits on all SCVMC employees within the facility. The audit identifies users who are withdrawing more medications than their co-workers during comparable shifts, and in many cases, for the same patients.
- 20. On or about March 21, 2009, M.H. performed a routine Standard of Deviation audit and discovered that Respondent's narcotics medication withdrawals increased sharply in late 2008 and early 2009. Respondent was employed as a Registered Nurse at SCVMC. He began his employment at SCVMC in 2000.

- 21. M.H. compared Respondent's Pyxis<sup>1</sup> User Reports to Patient Medication Orders and Medication Administration Records and discovered the following discrepancies:
  - a. Fentanyl injection, 0.05 mg/ml ampule, 15 unaccounted for;
  - b. Morphine injection, 4 mg/ml syringe, 10 unaccounted for;
  - c. Oxycodone-APAP (Percocet), 5-325 mg tablet, 40 unaccounted for;
  - d. Hydrocodone-APAP (Norco), 5-325 mg tablet, 10 unaccounted for.

M.H. reported his findings to C.S., a nursing supervisor, who began an investigation.

- 22. C.S. investigated the medical records and Pyxis reports for Respondent's patient for late 2008 through March 2009. After review of the records, C.S. noted Respondent had a pattern of: 1) withdrawing more medication than the order called for and failing to document wastage of any unused portions or 2) withdrawing a narcotic medication and not charting the administration or wastage of that narcotic.
- 23. When confronted about the discrepancies on or about April 1, 2009, Respondent admitted to diverting Vicodin and Percocet for his personal use but denied taking any injectable narcotics. Respondent admitted to diverting these medications to control the pain he continued to have following a skiing accident. Respondent was subsequently placed on administrative leave and then terminated from his employment at SCVMC.
  - 24. Review of the medical records revealed the following:
  - a. <u>Medical Record Number 0059417/AN 60653151</u>:

| Physician Orders                                | Withdrawn        | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
|---|------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| 9/13/2008                                       |                  |                            |               |             |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0808 | 1 tablet @ 0800            | None          | 1 tablet    |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pyxis is a trade name for the automatic single-unit dose medication dispensing system that records information such as patient name, physician orders, date and time medication was withdrawn, and the name of the licensed individual who withdrew and administered the medication. Each user/operator is given a user identification code to operate the control panel. Sometimes only portions of the withdrawn narcotics are given to the patient. The portions not given to the patient are referred to as "wastage." This waste must be witnessed by another authorized user and is also recorded by the Pyxis machine.

|        |   | 2 tablets @ 1122 | 1 tablet @ 1100  | None   | 1 tablet                       |
|--------|---|------------------|------------------|--------|--------------------------------|
| 1      |   | 2 tablets @ 1658 | 1 tablet @ 1700  | None   | 1 tablet                       |
| 2      | Norco APAP                                      | 2 tablets @ 0835 | None             | None   | 2 tablets                      |
| 3      | 5/325 tablet (1 q 4 hrs)                        |                  |                  |        |                                |
| 4      |   | 2 tablets @ 1339 | 2 tablets @ 1200 | None   | 1 tablet<br>given too<br>early |
| 5      | 9/14/2008                                       |                  |                  |        |                                |
| 6<br>7 | Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0801 | 1 tablet @ 0800  | None   | 1 tablet                       |
|        | 1118)   | 2 tablets @ 1156 | 1 tablet 2 1200  | None   | 1 tablet                       |
| 8      | Morphine sulfate                                | 2 mg @ 0802      | None             | None . | 2 mg                           |
| 9      | 2mg SYR IV (2<br>mg q 1 hr)                     |                  |                  |        |                                |
| 10     | 9/15/2008                                       |                  |                  |        | ,                              |
| 11     | Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0821 | 1 tablet @ 0800  | None   | 1 tablet                       |
| 12     | Morphine sulfate                                | 2 mg @ 0821      | None             | None   | 2 mg                           |
| 13     | 2mg SYR IV (2<br>mg q 1 hr)                     |                  |                  | ·      |                                |
| 14     |   | 2 mg @ 0856      | None             | None   | 2 mg                           |
| 15     | Norco APAP<br>5/325 tablet (1 q 4               | 2 tablets @ 0856 | None             | None   | 2 tablets                      |
| 16     | hrs)  |                  |                  |        |                                |
|        |   |                  |                  |        |                                |

# b. <u>Medical Record Number 00533323/AN 60654635:</u>

| Physician Orders                                | Withdrawn        | Charted as      | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
|---|------------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |                  | Administered    |               |             |
| 9/13/2008                                       |                  |                 |               |             |
| Fentanyl 100 mcg<br>AMP 25 mcg (q 5<br>min)     | 100 mcg @ 0746   | None            | 50 mcg        | 50 mcg      |
|   | 100 mcg @ 0830   | None            | 50 mcg @ 0957 | 50 mcg      |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0830 | None            | None          | 2 tablets   |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1717 | 1 tablet @ 1700 | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Morphine sulfate<br>2mg SYR IV (2               | 2 mg @ 1339      | None            | None          | 2 mg        |
| mg q 1 hr) Norco APAP 5/325 tablet (1 q 4 hrs)  | 2 tablets @ 1531 | 1 tablet @ 1500 | None          | 1 tablet    |
| 9/14/2008                                       |                  |                 |               |             |

| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0755 | 1 tablet @ 0800 | None | 1 tablet |
|---|------------------|-----------------|------|----------|
| Morphine sulfate<br>2mg SYR IV (2               | 2 mg @ 0810      | None            | None | 2 mg     |
| mg q 1 hr)                                      |                  |                 |      |          |

# c. Medical Record Number 00533780/AN 60657043:

| Physician Orders                                | Withdrawn        | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
|---|------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| 9/15/2008                                       |                  |                            |               |             |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0833 | 1 tablet at 0800           | None          | 1 tablet    |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1033 | 1 tablet @ 1100            | None          | 1 tablet    |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1632 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
| 9/16/2008                                       |                  | ٠.                         |               |             |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0804 | 1 tablet @ 0900            | None          | 1 tablet    |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1330 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1639 | 1 tablet @ 1700            | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Norco APAP<br>5/325 tablet (1 q 4<br>hrs)       | 2 tablets @ 1041 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
| Morphine sulfate<br>2mg SYR IV (2<br>mg q 1 hr) | 2 mg @ 1330      | None                       | None          | 2 mg        |

## d. <u>Medical Record Number 00065018/AN 60664007:</u>

| Physician Orders       | Withdrawn      | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy   |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|---------------|---|
| 9/28/2008              |                |                            |               |   |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg<br>AMP | 100 mcg @ 1646 | 25 mcg @ 1600              | None          | 75 mcg<br>remaining<br>from<br>withdrawal,<br>see next<br>entry |
|                        |                | 50 mcg @ 1700              | None          | 25 mcg  |
|                        |                |                            |               | remaining<br>from<br>withdrawal                                 |
|                        |                | 50 mcg charted,            | None          | Overage of  |

| 11 |                     |                  |                  | · ·   |           |
|----|---------------------|------------------|------------------|-------|-----------|
|    |                     |                  | no time given    |       | 25 mcg    |
|    | Morphine sulfate    | 2 mg @ 1858      | None             | None  | 2 mg      |
|    | 2mg SYR IV (2       |                  |                  |       |           |
|    | mg q 1 hr)          |                  |                  |       |           |
|    |                     | 2 mg @ 1902      | None             | None_ | 2 mg      |
|    | 9/29/2008           |                  |                  |       |           |
|    | Percocet (1) 5/325  | 2 tablets @ 0732 | 1 tablet at 0800 | None  | 1 tablet  |
|    | tablet (1 tab q 4   |                  |                  |       | -         |
|    | hrs)                |                  |                  |       |           |
|    |                     | 2 tablets @ 1213 | None             | None  | 2 tablets |
|    |                     | 2 tablets @ 1714 | 1 tablet @ 1700  | None  | 1 tablet  |
|    | Norco APAP          | 2 tablets @ 0853 | 1 tablet @ 1030  | None  | 1 tablet  |
|    | 5/325 tablet (1 q 4 |                  |                  |       |           |
|    | hrs)                |                  |                  |       |           |
|    | Morphine sulfate    | 2 mg @ 1015      | None             | None  | 2 mg      |
|    | 2mg SYR IV (2       |                  |                  |       |           |
|    | mg q 1 hr)          |                  |                  |       |           |
|    |                     | 2 mg @ 1030      | None             | None  | 2 mg      |
|    |                     | 2 mg @ 1226      | None             | None  | 2 mg      |
|    | Fentanyl 50 mcg     | 100 mcg @ 1342   | 25 mcg @ 1300    | None  | 75 mcg    |
|    | AMP                 |                  |                  |       |           |
| l  |                     |                  |                  |       |           |

## e. Medical Record Number 00215443/AN 60673112:

| Physician Orders                                | Withdrawn        | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
|---|------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| 10/25/2008                                      |                  |                            |               |             |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0848 | 1 tablet at 0900           | None          | 1 tablet    |
| . ,,-   | 2 tablets @ 1325 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1618 | 1 tablet @ 1600            | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Norco APAP<br>5/325 tablet (1 q 4<br>hrs)       | 2 tablets @ 1036 | 1 tablet @ 1100            | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Morphine sulfate<br>2mg SYR IV (2<br>mg q 1 hr) | 2 mg @ 1036      | None                       | None          | 2 mg        |
|   | 2 mg @ 1106      | None                       | None          | 2 mg        |
| 10/26/2008                                      |                  |                            |               |             |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 0745 | 1 tablet @ 1600            | None          | 1 tablet    |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1158 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1713 | 1 tablet @ 1700            | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg<br>AMP                          | 100 mcg @ 0857   | None                       | None          | 100 mcg     |

| 1  |                                   |                    |                 |        |           |
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|    | DI ADAD                           | 2 tablets @ 1052   | 1 toblot @ 1100 | None   | 1 tablet  |
| 1  | Norco APAP<br>5/325 tablet (1 q 4 | 2 tablets @ 1052   | 1 tablet @ 1100 | None   | 1 tablet  |
| 2  | hrs)                              |                    |                 |        |           |
|    |                                   | 2 tablets @ 1423   | 1 tablet @ 1400 | None   | 1 tablet  |
| 3  | 10/27/2008                        |                    |                 |        |           |
| 4  | Percocet (1) 5/325                | 2 tablets @ 0821   | 1 tablet @ 0800 | None   | 1 tablet  |
| 4  | tablet (1 tab q 4 hrs)            |                    |                 |        |           |
| 5  | 1118)                             | 2 tablets @ 1224   | None            | None   | 2 tablets |
| 6  |                                   | 2 tablets @ 1344   | 1 tablet @ 1400 | None   | 1 tablet  |
|    | Norco APAP                        | 2 tablets @ 0959   | 1 tablet @ 1000 | None   | 1 tablet  |
| 7  | 5/325 tablet (1 q 4               | _                  | _               |        |           |
| 8  | hrs)                              |                    |                 |        |           |
| °  | 10/28/2008                        |                    |                 |        |           |
| 9  | Percocet (1) 5/325                | 2 tablets @ 0816   | 1 tablet @ 0800 | None   | 1 tablet  |
| 10 | tablet (1 tab q 4                 |                    |                 |        |           |
| 10 | hrs)                              | 2 tablets @ 1309   | None            | None   | 2 tablets |
| 11 |                                   | 2 tablets @ 1841   | 1 tablet @ 1800 | None   | 1 tablet  |
|    | Norco APAP                        | 2 tablets @ 1022   | None None       | None   | 2 tablets |
| 12 | 5/325 tablet (1 q 4               | 2 1001010 (0) 1022 | 1,0110          | 1,0110 |           |
| 13 | hrs)                              |                    | ,               |        |           |
|    | Morphine sulfate                  | 2 mg @ 1351        | None            | None   | 2 mg      |
| 14 | 2mg SYR IV (2                     |                    |                 |        |           |
| 15 | mg q 1 hr)                        |                    |                 |        |           |
|    |                                   |                    |                 |        |           |

# f. Medical Record Number 00347891/AN60692559:

| Physician Orders                                 | Withdrawn               | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| 11/28/2008                                       |                         |                            |               |             |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg<br>AMP 25 mcg<br>every 5 min PRN | 100 mcg @ 0744          | 25 mcg @ 0700              | None          | 75 mcg      |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 tablet                        | 2 tablets @ 0826        | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
|  | 2 tablets @ 1230        | 1 tablet @ 1230            | None          | 1 tablet    |
|  | 2 tablets @ 1659        | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
| Norco (1) 5/325<br>tablet                        | 1 tablet @ 1000         | None                       | None          | 1 tablet    |
|  | 1 tablet @ 1000         | None                       | None          | 1 tablet    |
|  | 2 tablets @ <b>1810</b> | 1 tablet @ 1700            | None          | 1 tablet    |
| 11/29/2008                                       |                         |                            |               |             |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg<br>AMP 25 mcg<br>every 5 min PRN | 100 mcg @ 0819          | None                       | 75 mcg        | 25 mcg      |
| Percocet (1) 5/325                               | 2 tablets @ 0918        | 1 tablet @ 0900            | None          | 1 tablet    |

| tablet                    |                  |                 |      |           |
|---------------------------|------------------|-----------------|------|-----------|
|                           | 2 tablets @ 1316 | None            | None | 2 tablets |
|                           | 2 tablets @ 1617 | 1 tablet @ 1600 | None | 1 tablet  |
| Norco (1) 5/325<br>tablet | 2 tablets @ 1020 | None            | None | 2 tablets |

# g. Medical Record Number 00285395/AN 6068370:

| Physician Orders                                 | Withdrawn             | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted             | Discrepancy            |
|--|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 12/3/2008  |                       |                            |                           |                        |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg<br>AMP 25 mcg<br>every 5 min PRN | 100 mcg @1142         | None                       | None                      | 100 mcg                |
|  | 100 mcg @ 1312        | 50 mg @ 1300               | 75 mcg wasted @ 1312      | 25 mcg                 |
|  | 100 mcg @ 1353        | 50 mg @ 1400               | None                      | 50 mcg                 |
| _  | 100 mcg @ 1504        | None                       | 75 mcg wasted,<br>no time | 25 mcg                 |
|  | 100 mcg @ 1738        | 25 mcg @ 1800              | 75 mcg wasted, no time    | 25 mcg                 |
| Morphine sulfate 2 mg (q 1hr)                    | 1 - 2mg/2ml @<br>1443 | None                       | None                      | 1 – 2mg/1ml<br>Syringe |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 tablet                        | 2 tablets @ 1512      | None                       | None                      | 2 tablets              |
|  | 2 tablets @ 1717      | 2 tablets @ 1700           | None                      | Wrong dose             |
| Norco (1) 5/325<br>tablet                        | 2 tablets @ 1605      | 1 tablet @ 1600            | None                      | 1 tablet               |
| 12/4/2008  |                       |                            |                           |                        |
| Norco (1) 5/325<br>tablet                        | 2 tablets @ 0855      | None                       | None                      | 2 tablets              |
| Morphine sulfate 2 mg (q 1hr)                    | 1 - 2mg @ 1044        | None                       | None                      | 1 – 2mg<br>Syringe     |
| Hydromorphone<br>PLS 2mg/mL (2-3<br>mg q 1 hr)   | 4 mg @ 1053           | 3 mg @ 1100                | None                      | 1 mg                   |
|  | 4 mg @ 1147           | None                       | None                      | 4 mg                   |
|  | 4 mg @ 1408           | 2 mg @ 1400                | None                      | 2 mg                   |
|  | 4 mg @ 1459           | None                       | None                      | 4 mg                   |
|  | 4 mg @ 1755           | 3 mg @ 1800                | None                      | 1 mg                   |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 tablet                        | 2 tablets @ 1147      | None                       | None                      | 2 tablets              |
| 12/5/2008  |                       |                            |                           |                        |
| Hydromorphone<br>PLS 2mg/mL (2-<br>3mg q 1 hr)   | 2 mg @ 1011           | None                       | None                      | 2 mg                   |

|             | 11                  |                  |                  |      |           |
|-------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------|------|-----------|
|             |                     | 4 mg @ 1436      | None             | None | 2 mg      |
| 1           |                     | 2 mg @ 1524      | None             | None | 2 mg      |
| 2           | Percocet (1) 5/325  | 2 tablets @ 1244 | None             | None | 2 tablets |
| <del></del> | tablet (1-2 tab q 4 |                  |                  |      |           |
| 3           | hrs)                |                  |                  |      |           |
| -           | Norco 5/325 (1 tab  | 2 tablets @1352  | None             | None | 2 tablets |
| 4           | q 4 hrs)            |                  |                  |      |           |
| 5           | 12/6/2008           |                  |                  |      |           |
| J           | Hydromorphone       | 2 mg @ 0729      | None             | None | 2 mg      |
| 6           | PLS 2mg/mL (2-      |                  |                  |      |           |
|             | 3mg q 1 hr)         |                  |                  |      |           |
| 7           |                     | 2 mg @ 1655      | None             | None | 2 mg      |
| 8           | Percocet (1) 5/325  | 2 tablets @ 0901 | 1 tablet at 0900 | None | 1 tablets |
| 0           | tablet (1-2 tab q 4 |                  |                  |      |           |
| 9           | hrs)                |                  |                  |      |           |
|             |                     | 2 tablets @1529  | None             | None | 2 tablets |
| 10          | 12/7/2008           |                  |                  |      |           |
|             | Hydromorphone       | 2 mg @ 0749      | None             | None | 2 mg      |
| 11          | PLS 2mg/mL (2-      |                  |                  |      |           |
| 12          | 3mg q 1 hr)         |                  |                  |      |           |
| 12          |                     | 2 mg @ 0946      | None             | None | 2 mg      |
| 13          | Percocet (1) 5/325  | 2 tablets @ 1109 | None             | None | 2 tablets |
|             | tablet (1-2 tab q 4 |                  |                  |      |           |
| 14          | hrs)                |                  | - Particular v   |      |           |
| 15          |                     | 2 tablets @ 1250 | 1 tablet @ 1300  | None | 1 tablet  |
| LJ          | II                  |                  |                  |      |           |

## h. Medical Record Number 00540999/AN 6094147:

| Physician Orders                                  | Withdrawn        | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy           |
|---|------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| 12/19/2008  |                  |                            |               |                       |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg<br>AMP 25 mcg<br>every 5 min PRN  | 100 mcg @1235    | 25 mcg @ 1300              | None          | 75 mcg                |
|   | 100 mcg @1450    | 25 mcg @ 1500              | None          | 50 mcg (see<br>below) |
|   | See above        | 25 mcg @1600               | None          | N/A                   |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1-2 tab q 4<br>hrs) | 2 tablets @ 1803 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets             |
| 12/20/2008  |                  |                            |               |                       |
| Percocet (1) 5/325<br>tablet (1-2 tab q 4         | 2 tablets @ 0746 | 1 tablet @ 0800            | None          | 1 tablet              |
| hrs)  |                  |                            |               |                       |
|   | 2 tablets @ 0835 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets             |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1217 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets             |
|   | 2 tablets @ 1542 | 1 tablet @ 1600            | None          | 1 tablet              |

| AVANU 5 min PRN               |   |  |  | 100 mcg  |
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| every 5 min PRN               | 100 mcg @ 0839  | None   | None   | 100 mcg  |
| Norco APAP                    | 2 tablets @ 1003  | None   | None   | 2 tablets  |
| 5/325 tab (1 q 4 hrs)         |   |  |  |  |
| 12/21/2008                    |   |  |  |  |
| Percocet (1) 5/325            | 2 tablets @ 0822  | 1 tablet @ 0900  | None   | 1 tablet   |
| tablet (1-2 tab q 4           |   |  |  |  |
| hrs)                          |   | ,  |  |  |
|                               | 2 tablets @ 1153  | 1 tablet @ 1200  | None   | 1 tablet   |
|                               | 2 tablets @, 1841   | None   | None   | 2 tablets  |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg               | 100 mcg @0953   | None   | None   | 100 mcg  |
| AMP 25 mcg<br>every 5 min PRN | - <del>-</del>  |  |  |  |
| Norco APAP                    | 2 tablets @ 1313  | 1 tablet @ <b>1100</b>   | None   | 1 tablet   |
| 5/325 tab (1 q 4 hrs)         |   |  |  |  |
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| Physician Orders                                 | Withdrawn        | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
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| 1/17/2009  |                  |                            |               |             |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 mg tablet (q 4 hrs)           | 2 tablets @ 0903 | 1 tablet @ 0900            | None          | 1 tablet    |
|  | 2 tablets @ 1320 | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
|  | 2 tablets @ 1621 | 1 tablet @ 1600            | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Fentanyl 25 mcg (q 5 min)                        | 100 mcg @ 0948   | 50 mcg @ 0900              | None          | 50 mcg      |
| Norco (1) 5/325 (q<br>4 hrs)                     | 2@1111           | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
| 1/18/2009  | ,                |                            |               |             |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg<br>AMP 25 mcg<br>every 5 min PRN | 100 mcg @ 0736   | 25 mcg @ 0700              | None          | 75 mcg      |
| -  | 100 mcg 20958    | 25 mcg @ 1000              | None          | 75 mcg      |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 mg tablet                     | 2 tablets @ 0830 | 1 tablet @ 0800            | None          | 1 tablet    |
|  | 2 tablets @ 1117 | 1 tablet @ 1100            | None          | 1 tablet    |

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| 1/28/2009        |               | ,                          |               |             |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg  | 100 mcg @1125 | 50 mcg @ 1300              | None          | 50 mcg      |

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| AMP 25 mcg                   |                    |                 |                  | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
| every 5 min PRN              |                    |                 |                  |                                       |
|                              | 100 mcg @1601      | 25 mcg @1600    | None             | 75 mcg                                |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1637     | None            | 75 mcg (no time) | 25 mcg                                |
| Percocet (1) 5/325           | 2 tablets @ 0903   | 1 tablet @ 0900 | None             | 1 tablet                              |
| mg tablet (q 4 hrs)          | 2 tablets @ 1709   | 1 tablet @ 1700 | None             | 1 tablet                              |
| Norco (1) 5/325              | 2 tablets @ 1752   | None            | None             | 2 tablets                             |
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| 1/29/2009                    |                    |                 |                  |                                       |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 mg tablet | 2 tablets @ 0838   | 1 tablet @ 0800 | None             | 1 tablet                              |
|                              | 2 tablets @ 1207   | None            | None             | 2 tablets                             |
| Morphine 2                   | 1 - 2mg/2ml @      | None            | None             | 1-2mg/1m                              |
| mg/1ml Syr                   | 0839               |                 |                  | Syringe                               |
|                              | 1 – 2mg/2ml @      | None            | None             | 1 - 2mg/1m                            |
|                              | 1011               |                 |                  | Syringe                               |
| Fentanyl 50 mcg AMP 25 mcg   | 100 mcg @ 0912     | None            | None             | 100 mcg                               |
| every 5 min PRN              |                    |                 |                  |                                       |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1337     | 25 mcg @ 1300   | None             | 75 mcg                                |
| Norco (1) 5/325<br>mg        | 2 tablets @ 1011   | None            | None             | 2 tablets                             |
|                              | 2 tablets @ 1752   | None            | None             | 2 tablet                              |
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| 2/23/2009                    |                    |                 |                  |                                       |
| Fentanyl 25 mcg              | 100 mcg @ 0800     | 25 mcg @ 0700   | None             | 75 mcg                                |
|                              | 100 mag @ 0940     | 25 mag @ 0000   | None             | 75 mca                                |

| Physician Orders             | Withdrawn                   | Charted as              | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
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| 2/23/2009                    |                             |                         |               |             |
| Fentanyl 25 mcg              | 100 mcg @ 0800              | 25 mcg @ 0700           | None          | 75 mcg      |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 0849              | 25 mcg @ 0900           | None          | 75 mcg      |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1041              | None                    | None          | 100 mcg     |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1151              | 25 mcg @ 1200           | None          | 75 mcg      |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1346              | None                    | None          | 100 mcg     |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1720              | 25 mcg                  | None          | 75 mcg      |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 mg tablet | 2 tablets @ 0855            | None                    | None          | 2 tablets   |
|                              | 2 tablets @ 1317            | 1 tablet @ 1200-<br>130 | None          | 1 tablet    |
|                              | 2 tablets @ 1613            | 1 tablet @ 1600         | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Norco (1) 5/325<br>tablet    | 2- 5/325 tablets<br>@ 1006  | None                    | None          | 2 tablets   |
|                              | 2 – 5/325 tablets<br>@ 1519 | 1 tablet @ 1500         | None          | 1 tablet    |
|                              | 2 – 5/325 tablets<br>@ 1725 | 1 tablet @ 1800         | None          | 1 tablet    |
| 2/24/2009                    | ,                           |                         |               |             |

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| Percocet (1) 5/325 mg tablet | 2 tablets @ 1109 | 1 tablet @ 1100 | None | 1 tablet  |
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|                              | 2 tablets @ 1524 | None            | None | 2 tablets |
| 2/25/2009                    |                  |                 |      |           |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 mg tablet | 2 tablets @ 1452 | None            | None | 2 tablets |
| Fentanyl 25 mcg              | 100 mcg @ 1721   | None            | None | 100 mcg   |

### 1. Medical Record Number 00316119/AN 60731794:

| Physician Orders             | Withdrawn              | Charted as<br>Administered | Wastage Noted | Discrepancy |
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| 2/26/2009                    |                        |                            |               |             |
| Fentanyl 25 mcg              | 100 mcg @ 1022         | None                       | None          | 100 mcg     |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1047         | None                       | None          | 100 mcg     |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1134         | 25 mcg @ 1100              | None          | 75 mcg      |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1022         | None                       | . None        | 100 mcg     |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1316         | None                       | None          | 100 mcg     |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1443         | None                       | None          | 100 mcg     |
|                              | 100 mcg @ 1633         | 25 mcg @ 1600              | None          | 75 mcg      |
| Percocet (1) 5/325 mg tablet | 2 tablets @ 1444       | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
|                              | 2 tablets @ 1659       | 1 tablet                   | None          | 1 tablet    |
| Norco (1) 5/325<br>tablet    | 2 tablets @ 1559       | None                       | None          | 2 tablets   |
| Hydromorphone 2 mg           | 2 mg syringe @<br>1559 | None                       | None          | 2 mg        |

## FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

## (Unprofessional Conduct-Obtain or Possess Controlled Substances)

Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 2762(a) for unprofessional 25. conduct in that Respondent obtained and possessed controlled substances unlawfully in violation of Health and Safety Code sections 11173(a) and 11350(a)(1) as is more particularly set forth in paragraphs 19 through 24 above, and incorporated herein as though set forth in full.

## SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

## (Unprofessional Conduct-Use of Controlled Substances)

Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 2762(b) for unprofessional 26. conduct in that Respondent diverted Vicodin and Percocet for his personal use as more fully set forth in paragraphs 19-24 above and incorporated herein as though set forth in full.

## THIRD CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

## (Unprofessional Conduct)

27. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 2762(a) for unprofessional conduct in that Respondent admitted he developed the bad practice of anticipating the medication needs of his patients and thereby withdrawing from Pyxis the medications his experience taught him they would need after surgery before the patients arrived in the Critical Care Unit.

Respondent further admitted that he failed to waste any unused amount of a controlled substance and simply set the unused portion on top of the Pyxis machine.

## FOURTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

## (Gross Negligence)

28. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 2762(a)(1) for gross negligence in that Respondent failed to account for controlled substances, failed to document wastage of controlled substance, failed to correctly chart administration of controlled substances, documented administering controlled substances prior to withdrawing the drugs from Pyxis and documented administration of higher doses of controlled substances that what the physician ordered, as more fully set forth in paragraphs 19-24 above and incorporated herein as though set forth in full.

### **PRAYER**

WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged, and that following the hearing, the Board of Registered Nursing issue a decision:

- 1. Revoking or suspending Registered Nurse License Number 574651, issued to Anthony Suan Baysa, RN;
- 2. Ordering Anthony Suan Baysa to pay the Board of Registered Nursing the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3;

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| 1  | 3. Taki          | ng such other and furth | ner action as deemed necessary and proper.   |
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| 3  | DATED:           | 12/20/10                | Louise R. Baeley   |
| 4  |                  |                         | LOUISE R. BAILEY, M.ED., RN<br>Interim Executive Officer   |
| 5  |                  |                         | Interim Executive Officer Board of Registered Nursing Department of Consumer Affairs State of California |
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